It's already a hassle to brief the exit rows w/ the cell phone usage right before shutting the door. And it's hard enough to get people to be quiet during the safety demos. If you are going to allow non-stop cell phone usage, then don't waste flight attendants time by federally mandating that we do a demo and demand quiet and fine us personally for violating FAA rules. How safe do you really think it is to allow communication amongst terrorists? How about when it's safe to breach the cockpit when the flight attendant is distracted or in the lavatory? Oh, right, you don't care, you're on the ground and I'm not. Well, maybe that will be the flight that you might have to take every once in awhile or maybe your wife and kids will be on it. It's great that you get paid so well for "thinking"!